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THE JURY HAS THE CASE.

Big Suit Against Winston Street Railway.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS

What That Body Is Doing to Push Along The Interests of Our Hustling Neighbor.

Special to THE TELEGRAM.

Winston, Dec. 6.—The Chamber of Commerce of Winston-Salem held its annual meeting last night for the election of officers for the ensuing year. They are, J. M. Rogers, president, W. A. Blair, secretary and treasurer, G. W. Hinshaw, first vice-president and R. J. Reynolds, second vice-president. A board of eight directors was appointed and is as follows: J. B. Vaughn, H. E. Fries, B. J. Shepherd, Frank Vogler, C. H. Fogle, W. B. Ellis, G. A. Follin and W. B. Pollard.

The meeting was largely attended and very enthusiastic. The more prominent of the matters considered were resolutions endorsing the movement to build the proposed railway to Marienbad Springs; commending the action and enterprise of Prof. Lomady in converting the springs property into a big hotel and summer resort, and above all a resolution asking better schedules of passenger trains on the N. & W. and the Wilkesboro branch of the Southern.

The agreement in the suit of T. J. Wilson against the street railway at Winston in which \$10,000 damages are asked for the killing of the plaintiff's son closed today at noon. C. B. Watson and R. B. Glenn spoke an hour or more each for the plaintiff and Hon. John S. Wise, of New York and Lindsay Patterson addressed the jury in behalf of the defendant. The jury have not at last reports determined upon a verdict.

FOLLOWING STANLY.

Rutherford County Will Annul Bonds.

A Rutherfordton special to the Charlotte Observer of this morning says:

Suit was today instituted by the county commissioners of this county against the county treasurer. The object of this suit is to annul the two issues of bonds outstanding and for which the county will be liable. The complaint has not been filed and no papers are on file in the clerk's office, but the summons, and therefore it is impossible to tell the exact nature of the action.

At The Academy Tonight.

Pudd'nhead Wilson which will be presented at the Academy tonight by Mr. Theodore Hamilton and a strong company, has held its own as one of the best plays made from contemporary novels. A large proportion of the theatre goers of this city are also readers of magazines, and no doubt are familiar with Mark Twain's clever novel, and there should be a strong desire to witness the dramatization of his work. The play follows the outline of the story and condenses it into a prologue and four acts.

Mr. Hamilton, who assumes the title role in Pudd'nhead Wilson is better known in the Southern than in the Northern states, although he has been associated nearly all his life with the most prominent actors.

Two Telegrams.

The following telegrams were received this morning by Manager Blackburn, and are self-explanatory:

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 5.—Pudd'nhead Wilson played here to a big house. It is a great performance. Theodore Hamilton and Joe Jefferson, Jr., are splendid. A. B. Duesbury, Manager.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 5.—Will leave here at 9:00 a. m. Have every thing ready. Our success here was very flattering. Joe Jefferson, Jr., Theo. Hamilton.

Big Merchant Suicides.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Far Rockaway, N. Y. Jan. 6.—William Buckley, a member of the big dry goods firm of Dunham, Buckley and Co., of New York, suicided here this morning. He had been suffering from a cold.

MAN WITH THE GROWING NOSE.

Doctor Testifies That Scher Has Rhinoscleroma, or Hardnose.

In the trial of the action of Israel Scher to recover \$30,000 for personal injuries from the Metropolitan Street Railway Company there was some medical evidence yesterday before Justice Giegerich of the Supreme Court about the strange development of the nose of the plaintiff. Dr. Arthur Fischman, who attended the plaintiff soon after he was injured by a Broadway car at Prince street Dec. 13, 1894, testified that he found him bleeding from the mouth and nose and suffering apparently from concussion of the brain. Scher's nose is now about three times as large as it was then. Aside from his injuries, the witness said, the plaintiff is suffering from a disease of the nose, known as rhinoscleroma, or hardening nose. The physician said that the disease is hardly known on this continent. It was first met with in Russia and Australia, and is rarely found outside of those countries. The disease makes the nose look like a lobster unboiled.—New York Sun.

A FIRE AT SING SING.

None of the Prisoners Attempted to Escape.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Sing Sing N. Y., Jan. 6.—The prison was afire early this morning. In the mess room many of the convicts who were on duty set to work fighting the flames instead of trying to escape during the excitement. In a few minutes the fire was extinguished. The other convicts dressed and remained in their cells.

EXACTING TRIBUTE.

Teutonic Reports a Stormy Passage Over.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Jan. 6.—The White Star liner Teutonic arrived today reporting the roughest voyage she ever experienced. She encountered high north west gales. Five able sailors were injured by the breaking of great seas on the port promenade deck. All of her passengers suffered intensely.

REORGANIZING THE ARMY.

Small Move on the European Chess-board.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Belgrade, Servia, Jan. 6.—A royal decree has been gazetted reorganizing the Serbian army and appointing ex-king Milan the father of king Alexander commander in chief.

KING'S MOUNTAIN COAL.

Expert Pronounces it to Be an Excellent Variety of Anthracite.

King's Mountain, Jan. 5.—Our people are somewhat agitated over the recent discovery of coal near this place and unless experts are very much mistaken, we will be independent of the coal mines of other states. An analysis of samples sent to a government expert shows 95 per cent. carbon. He pronounces it a fine sample of anthracite coal.

From investigations already made seems that it crops out in a number of places, which would indicate that it would be found in quantities.—Char-Observer.

Russia Tracking Germany.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Port Said, Jan. 6.—The Russian Cruiser Russia arrived here today enroute to China. It is believed that she will be compelled to disembark her guns in order to traverse the canal.

The Report Denied.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—George Trench a broker representing Joseph Leiter denies the rumors that Leiter has closed a contract for the disposal of his wheat to exporters.

Minister to Argentine.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Rome, Jan. 6.—The government today appointed Signor Counsellor of the Italian legation at Madrid, to be minister of Italy at Buenos Ayres.

Grand Jury After Hanna.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Columbus, O., Jan. 6.—The Kurtz managers, are preparing to bring bribery charges against Hanna before the grand jury.

DOES SLAVERY STILL EXIST?

Better Take this with a Small Pinch of Salt.

DETAILS OF THE CHINESE LOAN.

Bubonic Plague is Increasing—John Redmond in New York—New Trial for Actor Ratcliffe.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

West Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 6.—Four hundred State convicts, both whites and negroes, were let out at auction today under a four years lease. They were massed in the public square. Most of them are half starved and emaciated by illness. They were sold for the benefit of the State. Prominent farmers fought for the most promising of the men who were being sold into slavery. They were dragged off bound hand and foot by their new masters to serve out the time of their sentences.

THE CHINESE LOAN.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

London, Jan. 6.—It is reported on the stock exchange today that Great Britain has arranged to guarantee the Chinese loan. Sixteen million pounds in bonds will be issued at three per cent. and sold at one hundred and ten.

PLAGUE INCREASING.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Bombay, India, Jan. 6.—The Bubonic plague is increasing. There were eighty-six deaths reported from the disease yesterday.

REDMOND ARRIVES.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Jan. 6.—John E. Redmond, member of Parliament and Irish leader, arrived here this morning on board the Teutonic. He comes to further the interest of Irishmen in this country in the great celebration of ninety-eight to be held in Dublin. Redmond says that England dare not interfere with the celebration and that all sons of Erin should attend.

NEW TRIAL FOR WIFE BEATER.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Jan. 6.—Justice Dickery, of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn, today granted a new trial to Actor Ratcliffe. A warrant charging him with perjury was sent to the warden of the Tombs.

THE POUND OF FLESH.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

London, Jan. 6.—It is learned on excellent authority that in the event of England's guaranteeing the new Chinese loan the concessions required will take the form of insisting upon opening new treaty ports to all nations alike.

Ignatius Donnelly to Wed.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 4.—The announcement was made today that Mr. Ignatius Donnelly, the well-known populist leader, famous also as the author of many popular books, and upholder of the Baconian authorship of Shakespeare works, will in six weeks marry Miss Marian Hansen, who has been stenographer in the office of his newspaper. "The sage of Nigger," as Mr. Donnelly is called, is now sixty-six years old and Miss Hansen is twenty.

Mrs. Nack Will be Arraigned Monday.

New York, Jan. 5.—Judge Garretson, District Attorney Youngs, and Emanuel Friend, counsel for Mrs. Augusta Nack, held a conference at the Queens county court house today, at which it was decided that Mrs. Nack should be arraigned next Monday. It is expected that she will be allowed to plead guilty to manslaughter and be sentenced to a long term of imprisonment.

Bartley's Sentence Confirmed.

Lincoln, Neb. Jan. 5.—The Supreme court this evening rendered a decision affirming the penitentiary sentence of 20 years imposed on ex-State Treasurer Bartley, convicted of embezzling \$735,000.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

HIS BRIDE STOLEN.

Mr. Baker Says Relatives of His Have Spirited Away the Widow Jones.

Alexander A. Baker, 65 years old, who has been staying with the family of A. Parsill in Main street, Belleville, rushed into Justice Connell's office in that village last night, and declared that his wife, to whom he was married on Monday night, had been spirited away by relatives of his who had objected to the marriage.

The missing wife was formerly Mrs. Annie Jones, a widow, of Lodi. She is about 50 years old. Baker had been making love to her for some time, he said, and when she visited the Parsill house last night he suggested that they get married.

A minister was called in, who tied the knot, but later, so Baker alleges, relatives who wanted him to marry an aunt of theirs stole his wife away. He says she is worth \$15,000 and that they will try to keep her away from him until they can have the marriage annulled. He says he has money and will spend it to find her. He wanted the Justice to assist him and the latter promised he would today.—New York Sun.

GIRL OF 17 A HORSE THIEF.

She Has Kept the Police of Erie, Pa., Busy for Several Months.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 5.—Miss Edith Kelly, a girl of 17, is in the Erie county jail, charged with horse stealing. Miss Kelly has led a wild career for several months in this part of the State, and has kept the farmers and the State police on the lookout for her on account of the theft of half a dozen of horses, which, although not run out of the country were found long distances from their owners' stables. Her last escapade and the one which led to her arrest was the theft of a horse and buggy at Union City this week. The horse she had driven for twenty-four hours and left it exhausted and almost dead at Ligonville after selling the robes and articles which she found in the buggy.

The sole object of her thefts seem to have been to procure money with which to buy morphine. The girl has been under treatment in the Warren State Hospital once for the morphine habit. Miss Kelly says she has committed every crime with the exception of murder.

Prince Dhuleep Singh Married.

London, Jan. 5.—The marriage of Prince Victor Dhuleep Singh to Lady Anne Coventry, youngest daughter of the Earl of Coventry, took place this afternoon. The event excited the greatest interest on account of the unique position of the bridegroom, such a match being unprecedented in an English family of the position of the Coventrys, who have for a long time strenuously opposed the marriage.

A large and fashionable company was present at the wedding. The Queen's present to Prince Dhuleep Singh was a statuette of herself inscribed "From Your Godmother."

The Prince's father, Dhuleep Singh, was a mere boy and one of the native monarchs of India when his country came into the possession of Great Britain by conquest. He was the last native possessor of the Kohinoor diamond, and by the treaty which formally made his country a British possession and settled a princely annuity upon the young man, the famous gem became the property of the British Crown. It is valued at \$6,000,000.

HAS LEITER SOLD HIS WHEAT?

A Report That He Has Disposed of Most of it for Export.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Joseph Leiter is said to have closed contracts to dispose of the greater part, if not all, of his 8,700,000 bushels of cash wheat. The buyers, it is said, are L. Dreyfus & Co., New York, the French exporters, and Gill & Fisher, Baltimore. Dreyfus's man is here looking over the wheat, and samples have been sent to the firm's New York headquarters. Nothing is known here about the terms, but they are evidently satisfactory to Leiter. He has had numerous bids recently from exporters at the seaboard for round lots, but most of them have been too low. Dreyfus & Co. are said to be in a position to place the wheat on the other side to better advantage than Leiter, and the option on a round lot gives the firm a chance to work to better advantage.

Butterworth Regains Consciousness.

Thomasville, Ga., Jan. 5.—Dr. McIntosh reports Mr. Butterworth's condition as improved today. He recovered consciousness this morning for the time since he was attacked with uremic convulsions, on Monday, and has been conscious all day.

WE WILL ANNEX HAWAII.

A Poll Shows the Senate in Favor of the Treaty.

PREPARING TO HANG DURRANT.

Revenue Cutter Running a Trio of Filibusters That Started from Tampa for Cuba.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, Jan. 6.—A careful poll of the Senate regarding the annexation of Hawaii, which comes up for consideration in that body on next Monday, shows fifty-six votes for the treaty and thirty-three against it.

LAST DAYS OF DURRANT.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Preparations for the hanging of Theodore Durrant tomorrow are being completed today. His mother will not be present at the execution. His last wishes regarding the disposition of his body will be granted and no post mortem examination by experts will be permitted.

CHASING FILIBUSTERS.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

West Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 6.—The revenue cutter McLean has gone in pursuit of three filibustering expeditions that were fitted out at Tampa, Puerto Gorda and Plant City. The Dauntless is not among the ships. There is no authentic news further than that the vessels are off for Cuba.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

The following are the closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:

American tobacco	90 1/2
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	91
B. and O.	134
C. and O.	22 1/2
Chic. Gas	99 1/2
Del., Lack. and Western	97
Delaware and Hudson	112
Am. spirits	
Dist. and cattle feed	
Erie	
General Electric	34 1/2
Jersey Central	97 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	56
Lake Shore	173 1/2
Manhattan Elevated	112 1/2
Missouri and Pacific	34 1/2
Northern Pacific	122 1/2
Northern Pacific Pr.	60 1/2
National Lead	36 1/2
New York Central	108 1/2
Pacific Mail	30 1/2
Reading	23 1/2
Rock Island	90 1/2
Southern Railway	94
Southern Railway Pr.	30 1/2
St. Paul	95 1/2
Sugar Trust	143 1/2
Tenn. Coal & Iron	26 1/2
Texas Pacific	11 1/2
U. S. Leather Preferred	64
Western Union Tel.	91 1/2
Wabash Preferred	18 1/2

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade:

CHICAGO, Jan. 6, 1898.	
Wheat, Jan.	90
" May	90 1/2
" July	
Corn, Jan.	26 1/2
" Sept.	
" Oct.	
" May	20 1/2
" July	
Oats, Sept.	
" Jan.	20
" May	23 1/2
Pork, Dec.	
" Jan.	90 1/2
" May	92 1/2
Lard, Dec.	
" Jan.	490
" May	482
Ribs, Dec.	
" Jan.	450
" May	462
Cotton, Sept.	60 1/2 @ 60 1/2
" Oct.	@
" Nov.	@
" Dec.	@
" Jan.	57 1/2 @
" Feb.	57 1/2 @
" March	58 1/2 @
" April	@
" May	59 1/2 @
" June	@
" July	59 1/2 @
" August	60 1/2 @
Spot cotton	5 15-16
Puts, 90 @; Calls, 91 1/2; Curb	90 1/2



NEW YEAR ADVICE

may be wasted, as it is only the wise that profit by other people's experience, but we will give it for what it is worth. You will get more real satisfaction, comfort and wear out of one suit of custom tailor-made clothing than you will out of twenty ready-made suits. Why not? What is a tailor for? To fit every curve, remedy every defect of figure, have your collar lay just so, and give you the style of a gentleman. We do it every time.

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25 cent packages.

New Year Resolutions



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Now resolve that you will carry this into effect before making any other, and go to see

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THURSDAY, JAN. 6, 1898.

You can get the telegraphic news twelve hours earlier in THE TELEGRAM than in any paper that gets into Greensboro, and for four dollars a year less.

The only revenge that remains to Chicago is to incorporate the State of Illinois.

The Austrian Reichsrath proceedings have resulted in two duels. Mark Twain was not a party to either.

Bushnell is doing his best to demonstrate in the case of Mr. Hanna that a haughty spirit goeth before a fall.

Anthony Comstock wants \$50,000 damages for injury to his character. The court should appoint appraisers.

If Great Britain has more credit than it knows what to do with Spain would not object to the loan of a part of it for a few days.

Russell Sage has been suffering from a cold. Possibly Mr. Sage's wrapping paper vest wore out and he could not afford to replace it.

In view of the reported recall of Li Hung Chang to power it should be reassuring to China's enemies to know that potent statesman smokes cigarettes.

If the fact had been made public earlier that Yale cleared \$20,000 from two football games we should all have been spared a great deal of talk about the brutality of the sport in that quarter where such talk has most abounded.

What can be the matter with the republican party? The legislators of Maryland refuse to caucus on a speaker and the Ohio situation is well known. It is a new departure for the faithful to fail to "get together" when there is an odor of pie in the air.

The latest American woman to be made a foreign countess was first married by a justice of the peace and then by a preacher. Now the question is how many courts of law will it take to divorce the happy couple when that time shall have duly arrived.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Senator Butler, of North Carolina, introduced a resolution today, providing for the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people.

This is the first indication that Mr. Butler has grown weary of the responsibilities of office.

For sometime to come a good sized army and a well equipped navy will be the most potent of arbiters. International arbitration is merely socialism applied to nations instead of individuals.

The strong from taking advantage of and despoiling the weak; to save the wear and tear of the fierce competition of an individualistic civilization. Arbitration aims to prevent the competition and the possible clash of nations. It is a pretty dream an iridescent bubble, material for much theoretical talk. The weakness of the arbitration theory, as of Mr. Edward Bellamy's ideal state, is that there is no final arbiter, cool, unprejudiced, perfectly just and supremely powerful, whose decision shall always be final. It is the old case of building a theory on the assumption that man is unselfish and just.

The jingoes may with perfect propriety begin to get ready their tin horns and vocal cords. The Hawaiian treaty comes up in the Senate on Monday.

Congressman Shuford declares that fusion between populists and republicans has been definitely settled. It will be settled of course. There is nothing else left for either to do. And it is tolerably certain that even fusion can not save them from ignominious defeat. Fusion is no longer a drawing card. It leaves a bad taste in the mouth. Even Mr. Marion Butler has taken to calling the bargain co-operation.

Is Senator Lodge serious?—Greensboro Argus.

Is a funeral procession gay and frisky? Does a Boston school marm crack frivolous and irreverent jokes? If Senator Lodge is not serious he at least takes himself seriously. He is one of the youngest men in the Senate but he sets up to know more than all his colleagues. Serious? The pillars of the capitol would crack, the dome would topple and the senator's countenance would split if he were to laugh.

Mr. Linney, who makes much the same kind of a Congressman as Russell does a Governor and Butler a Senator, is of the opinion that nothing can prevent a democratic victory in this State if civil service is maintained. Mr. Linney is thoroughly familiar with mountain views and the mountain appetite. The republican in the "Land of the Sky" votes strictly for what is in sight. Mr. Linney wishes to dangle a few internal revenue appointments before their eyes. That never fails to fetch 'em.

THE WORLD'S POPULATION.

It Could All Find Standing Room on One of England's Shires.

England today contains 80,000,000 people, but it has trebled its population in the course of a century, inasmuch as the population was 10,000,000 on the accession of the Hanoverian dynasty. At the time of the great revolution in 1688 England contained 5,500,000, while London, now 5,500,000, contained only 500,000 inhabitants.

It further appears that the entire population of the country was under 1,000,000 when the "Domestic Book" was compiled shortly after the Norman conquest. Other nations are more or less amenable to the same principle of increase, and modern ideas of the vast populations of antiquity are far from being correct. In spite of the grossly exaggerated statistics of Josephus, the site of Jerusalem and the course of its ancient walls, which can easily be traced, prove that the Holy City could never have accommodated more than 100,000 people, while the outer walls of Rome, still standing, indicate that the ancient population of the Eternal City could not, even in its palmy days, have exceeded 1,000,000 people.

"Westward the star of civilization takes its course" is a truth confirmed by the history of the ancient world and set forth in the rise and fall of the successive empires of China, India, Assyria, Babylonia, Egypt, Greece and Rome. The westward trend of the Aryan families of Celts, Teutons and Slavs in prehistoric times points to an eastern origin of the primitive nations that gathered strength as they marched toward the lands of the setting sun, and it now appears highly probable that the bulk of the world's population had congregated around the blue waters of the Mediterranean when Greece and Rome were in the meridian of their power.

The numerical strength of these nations was not great, and modern ideas of the vast population of the ancient world are more fanciful than real. From the foregoing considerations it would appear that the regular home troops of the British army, numbering about 100,000 men, could find standing room on four acres of ground, a space equal to that of Trafalgar square, London, while the entire force of volunteers in this country, numbering about 250,000, could be accommodated in Lord's cricket ground.

The 5,500,000 people in London could easily stand in Regent's park, while the 40,000,000 of the United Kingdom could be packed together in a space within range of a cannon that can fire the distance of a mile. The present population of the world could stand in Middlesex, while all who have ever lived since the Christian era could stand in Yorkshire, and all the inhabitants of the world, reckoning from the time of Adam to the present day, could, as far as area is concerned, have found ample standing room in England.—London Tit-Bit.

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BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK.—Go to Mrs. Cator & Co. for cheap Sailors, Walking Hats, Tam O'Shanters and Ribbon Remnants.

A LARGE STOCK OF CHINAWARE Glassware, Fine Lamps at E. M. Caldehough & Bro. o-23-tf.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Greensboro National Bank will be held at their banking house Wednesday, January 12th, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m. A. H. ALDERMAN, Cashier. d13-1mo

CHRISTMAS is over and New Year Gifts are in order. We have a few more of those nice "Alaska" fire sets, also pokers, shovels, etc., that we will close out very cheap. They will be appreciated as a New Year's present by your mother or any other friend.

Yours for a happy New Year, McCLAMROCH BROS. 115 East Market Street.

PICKLED PEACHES LOST: A half gallon jar of pickled peaches were taken from my exhibit at the fair. Return to me and the Lord will bless you, for he says in his holy word that thou shalt not steal. My name is pasted on the jar. Mrs. King Alston, 204 Persia St.

WE THANK our many friends and customers for past favors and assure you we will endeavor to be worthy of your future kindness. Yours truly, Tom Rice Jewelry Co. j1-2t

TWO FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF Greensboro were bruised up considerably and used Goose Grease Liniment with splendid results. n-23-

TELLER hand-made cigars received today. Howard Gardner, Drug-gist, corner opposite postoffice. d 17

BUY THE STANDARD ROTARY, the rapid, silent sewing machine. WINGATE BROS. d.

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Something New
For Greensboro.

25c per lb.

LINDAU.

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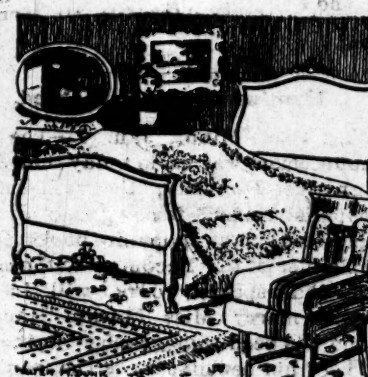
We extend to our Patrons

and wish them many happy returns of the day that we first filled their coal bin, and introduced them to our King Coal, or coal that is King of the heap. That is our high grade coal that is away above all others for heating or cooking purposes.

We are now selling Jellico Coal at \$5 per ton. 50 cents buys a barrel of dross—best kindling to be had.

Greensboro Ice and Coal Co.

Phone 58.



A GOOD COMFORTABLE BED is not only a luxury but a necessity, where a person spends a third of their natural life. The only difficulty with our beds and bedding is that you want to stay there all the time. Our handsome chamber suites, chiffoniers, dressing tables, wardrobes, brass beds, etc., we are selling at such prices that no one need be without them.

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330 South Elm Street.

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We are prepared to furnish you any kind of fire or stove wood, and in any quantity. We have now on hand 30 cords dry pine stove wood 30 cords dry oak stove wood 100 cords dry 2-foot wood Give us a call before buying your winter wood. We can save you money.

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GREENSBORO, N. C.

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Now is the time to buy Embroideries. The Ladies all know why.

We have a lot of Embroidery Remnants to sell out cheap; also some New Embroidery in pretty patterns and very good quality, to sell at 5c and 10c per yard.

Remnants of Wool Dress Goods going for almost nothing.

The Cox-Ferree Dry Goods Company.

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MANUFACTURERS OF

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And Dealers in All Kinds of Pine Lumber.

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The Best in North Carolina

is the way our laundry is known by every one in town. The best laundry, and the whitest linen, the most perfect domestic polish, and garments sent home as good as when we received them, are all synonymous. You can't beat us for beauty or finish.

The Steam Laundry,

John M. Dick, Proprietor.

Phone 72.

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Short and Quick Line
to the West, Texas and
California, Oregon
Washington
and
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Cunningham Bros., coal and wood. Richardson & Farris, drugs.

S. L. Alderman, photographer. Bynum, Bynum & Taylor, lawyers.

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I run three chairs and guarantee satisfaction. Give me a call. 311 McADOO HOUSE.

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Plans and Specifications Furnished on Application.

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329 McCulloch Street, Greensboro.

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Schedule in Effect Nov. 28th, 1897.

NORTHEBOUND	No. 2 Daily
Leave Wilmington	7:00 a.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	12:10 p.m.
Leave Fayetteville	12:20 p.m.
Arrive Sanford	12:30 p.m.
Leave Sanford	12:40 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	1:00 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	1:10 p.m.
Arrive Stokesdale	1:20 p.m.
Leave Stokesdale	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Rural Hall	1:40 p.m.
Leave Rural Hall	1:50 p.m.
Arrive Mt. Airy	2:00 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND	No. 1 Daily
Leave Mt. Airy	8:40 a.m.
Arrive Rural Hall	10:04
Leave Rural Hall	10:14
Arrive Stokesdale	10:24
Leave Stokesdale	10:34
Arrive Greensboro	10:44
Leave Greensboro	10:54
Arrive Sanford	11:04
Leave Sanford	11:14
Arrive Fayetteville	11:24
Leave Fayetteville	11:34
Arrive Wilmington	11:44

NORTHEBOUND	No. 4 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	8:00 a.m.
Arrive Maxton	9:05
Leave Maxton	9:15
Arrive Red Springs	9:25
Leave Red Springs	9:35
Arrive Maxton	9:45
Leave Maxton	9:55
Arrive Fayetteville	10:05
Leave Fayetteville	10:15

SOUTHBOUND	No. 3 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	4:50 p.m.
Arrive Maxton	5:55
Leave Maxton	6:05
Arrive Red Springs	6:15
Leave Red Springs	6:25
Arrive Maxton	6:35
Leave Maxton	6:45
Arrive Fayetteville	6:55

NORTHEBOUND	No. 16 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Ramseur	6:40 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	7:17
Leave Greensboro	7:27
Arrive Stokesdale	7:57
Leave Stokesdale	8:07
Arrive Madison	8:15

SOUTHBOUND	No. 15 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Madison	12:35 p.m.
Arrive Stokesdale	1:05
Leave Stokesdale	1:15
Arrive Greensboro	1:25
Leave Greensboro	1:35
Arrive Ramseur	1:45

CONNECTIONS

at Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railroad.

J. W. FRY, Gen. Manager. W. E. KYLE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Southern Railway.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE AND NORTH CAROLINA DIVISIONS

In Effect July 1st, 1897.

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TRAINS LEAVE GREENSBORO.

7:37 p.m.—No. 35 daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman dining-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, Birmingham and Galveston.

7:05 a.m.—No. 37 daily for Atlanta and Southwestern V. L. limited for United for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis dining car vestibule coach between Washington and Atlanta; Pullman dining car for San Francisco Sundays.

8:50 a.m.—No. 8 daily for Richmond and Norfolk; connect at Danville for Washington and points North.

7:32 a.m.—No. 11 daily for Atlanta and all points South; solid train Richmond to Danville to Hot Springs.

12:10 p.m.—No. 16 daily for Washington; Richmond, Raleigh and all points North; carries Pullman dining-room buffet sleeper Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to New York; Pullman tourist car from San Francisco Thursdays.

10:44 p.m.—No. 38 daily for Washington and Southwestern vestibule limited, for Washington and all points North; Through Pullman car Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York; Tampa to New York; also carries established coach and dining car.

9:52 p.m.—No. 12 daily for Richmond and all points North; carries Pullman sleeping car from Hot Springs to Danville; connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

From Raleigh—No. 15 passenger arrives 6:30 p.m.; No. 35 passenger arrives 11:55 a.m.; No. 16 passenger arrives 6:55 a.m.

For Raleigh—No. 35 passenger leaves 12:10 p.m.; No. 16 passenger leaves 8:50 a.m.; No. 12 passenger leaves 1:30 a.m.

W. N. C. Division—No. 107 passenger leaves Greensboro 12:30 p.m. arrives at Winston-Salem 1:30 p.m. daily except Sunday. No. 105 leaves Greensboro 8:50 a.m. daily, arrives at Winston-Salem 9:50 a.m., arriving at Wilkesboro 1:10 p.m.; train No. 7 runs daily except Sunday. No. 106 leaves Greensboro 7:50 p.m., arriving at Winston-Salem 8:50 p.m.; No. 110 leaves Wilkesboro daily except Sunday at 2:05 p.m., arriving at Winston-Salem 5:15 p.m., arriving at Greensboro 6:20 p.m.; No. 108 leaves Winston-Salem 6:20 a.m., arriving at Greensboro 7:20 a.m.

7:05 a.m. FROM THE NORTH.

7:32 a.m. FROM THE SOUTH.

7:50 a.m. FROM RALEIGH.

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10:10 a.m. FROM THE NORTH.

Bill of Fare

—AT THE—

South Greensboro Market

418 South Asheboro.

3 lbs choice beef steak, 25c.
Juicy Pork, 10c lb
Lamb, 10c lb
Rabbits, 10c each.

Good Cheese, 15c lb.
From Pigs Feet up, all kinds of Country Produce at Lowest Cash Prices.

Orders will be called for and goods delivered anywhere in the city.

Phone G. W. Kestler & Son, druggists.

H. P. CLARIDA,

Manager.

For New Year

A Hand Camera is a nice present for a lady or gentleman, boy or girl.

I have just received a new lot to sell at from \$2.50 to \$6.00. The

"Premo V."

is the best \$5 camera on the market; call and see it.

Will be in my New Gallery after Christmas.

Alderman,

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by purchasing your new Ledger, Journal, Day Book, Counter Book, Cash Book, Copying Book and Office Supplies, at

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Prices Right.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY

Thursday, Jan. 6th.

First time in this city and only stop in North Carolina.

Mark Twain's Missourian Idyl.

Pudd'n Head Wilson

Presented on the same scale of grandeur as at the Herald Square Theatre, in New York

—WITH—

Mr. Theodore Hamilton,

The eminent Southern character actor as Pudd'n head assisted by

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To Build?

If you are, consult us on material and prices. We deal in all kinds of rough and dressed lumber.

A complete line of frames, shutters, etc.

Our Specialty

is hard wood work and carving for interior decorations.

See our work and get our prices.

Cape Fear Manufacturing Co.,

Greensboro, N. C.

A NIGHT SONG.

Under the white moon, Nita,
The hills lie awake,
And red as blood in flower and bud,
And all for your sweet sake,
The eager rose o'erleaps the close
And climbs the columned wall
To hide his face in the drifts of lace
That over your lattice fall.

The dead sweet scent of the woodbine
Some languid breeze hath stirred,
And out of the dark, deep haunted park
Floats the pipe of a restless bird.
And far and faint the gurgle and plaint
Of the wood brook sounds alone
As I listen and pine for some answering
sign.

Some whisper of thine, my own!
I lie with the lilies, Nita,
Under thy lattice bars,
And the infinite night brims over,
With the glory of moon and stars,
And the wailing woodbine's passionate spleen
Out of the darkness blows
And faints and dies with the mingled sighs
Of perturbed lily and rose.

Yet rest thee, my beloved, since
No prayer of mine may win
Who keeps the pearly key
Of sleep would open some door of dreams
And lead thee, sweet, to me!
—Emma Alice Brown in New York Ledger.

BUFFALO BILL'S START.

More Accident Made the Well Known Scout a Showman.

An old Nebraskan was speaking of Buffalo Bill recently, and incidentally he told how he came to engage in the show business.

"Cody was for years a government scout on the western plains," said the Nebraskan man, "and it was when he conducted the buffalo exterminating expedition for the entertainment of the Grand Duke Alexis in 1870—I think it was—that he got his name. Cody at that time distinguished himself by the number of buffaloes he killed, and thereby earned his cognomen, which was given him by the duke. While he was well known as a scout, he would probably have never been widely known as a showman except for an accident.

"It was in 1881 that the people of North Platte, Neb., near which town was Cody's ranch, decided to celebrate the Fourth of July, and at the suggestion of John Kieth, who is a wealthy ranchman at Sutherland and North Platte and formerly claim adjuster of the Union Pacific, they selected a wild west show. Cody was one of the men most prominently interested in the scheme, and to him was left the work of scouring the cowboys and Indians to help out the show. In North Platte at the time was an old stagecoach owned by Jim Stephenson of Omaha, who was the proprietor of the Deadwood-Sidney and other western stage lines. At the suggestion of Cody the Indians were to attack the coach and be repulsed by the cowboys and soldiers.

"That Fourth was the hottest celebration of American independence ever seen in Nebraska. The Omaha papers had men to cover it, and it attracted a crowd from all parts of the west. The programme which Cody and Kieth arranged included riding wild horses, shooting, rope throwing and all the other amusements and business proceedings of a western man.

"It was a few days after the entertainment, if such it may be called, that Matt Kieth, no relation of John, but an old time western man, told Cody that it was a big thing and ought to be repeated every Fourth of July. Cody at once said that it was something new in American entertainments, and he believed that by taking the aggregation east he could make money. The matter was discussed in North Platte, and finally Cody said that he would advance the money and start out. He did so, and his success is well known.

"When he first started, he had but a small show, but he has added to it. He got with him Major Burke, Sherman, and Bill McCune, and last, but by no means least, Nate Salisbury. There was a quartet that cannot be beat, and with Cody boomed the business. Bill has made and spent a dozen fortunes and is today making money like a cranberry merchant."—New York Press.

Struck the Right Man.

During a visit to Massachusetts a distinguished author was invited by a friend to a meeting of an agricultural society, then holding its annual session in the town.

The invitation was accepted, and author and friend took seats near the door. Nearly every farmer in the house had something to say. Finally the president, pointing toward the author, said:

"Everybody's given us a talk to-night, except the farmer down there by the door—I mean the brother with the hazel beard, the boots and the slouch hat. I can tell by his looks that he's a farmer, and nothing but a farmer, and I call upon him to take the floor and tell us how crops are in his neighborhood."

The man referred to was Hamlin Garland, but he was equal to the occasion, and rising he said:

"Yes, I'm a farmer, and I'm proud of it, but just now I'm doing a little literary work in order to get money enough to pay off my hands."—Atlanta Constitution.

The Fatal Spot.

"And where was the man stabbed?" asked the excited lawyer of a physician. "The man was stabbed about an inch and a half to the left of the medial line and about an inch above the umbilicus," was the reply.

"Oh, yes, I understand now. But I thought it was near the town hall."—London Fun.

The Bank of England employs about 11,000 men and has a salary list, including pensions, of about \$1,500,000 per annum.

Russian koutmise is made of mare's milk and kept in smoked out leather bottles.

The next transit of Venus occurs in 3004.

NAPOLEON'S LAST WORDS.

The Dying Thoughts of the Man Whom Europe Feared.

On his deathbed, Napoleon expressed his conviction that England would end like the proud republic of Venice.

With perfect composure he gave his last directions: "I desire that you will take my body to be in spirits of wine and carry it to France to my dear Marie Louise. You will tell her that I never ceased to love her and relate to her every particular respecting my death upon this miserable and dreary rock. You will tell my mother and finally that the great Napoleon expired in the most deplorable state, deprived of everything, abandoned to himself and to his glory, and that he bequeathed with his dying breath to all the reigning families of Europe the horror and opprobrium of his death."

The second codicil of his will contained the direction, which was afterward complied with, "It is my wish that my ashes may repose on the banks of the Seine, in the midst of the French people, whom I love so well."

On the 6th of May, 1831, he who had for years kept all Europe in a state of feverish excitement terminated his earthly career.

After lying in state two days the body was deposited in a coffin composed of tin lined with white satin, which, having been soldered, was inclosed in another of mahogany, a third of lead, and the whole in a fourth of mahogany secured with iron screws. After the ceremony an enormous stone was lowered over the body, resting on a stone wall so as to escape the coffin.

On the 19th of May Louis Philippe commanded that the ashes of Napoleon be conveyed to France. In his communication he said: "Henceforth France alone will possess all that remains of Napoleon. His tomb, like his fame, will belong to none but his country."

At 11 o'clock, Dec. 15, the first cannon was heard announcing that the remains of the emperor had reached French ground. Amid the vast assemblage the body was borne by 24 seamen to its last resting place in the Hotel des Invalides.

So closed the eventful career of the great Napoleon, whose memory can only perish with the records of the world. —Detroit Free Press.

ATHLETE AND SCULPTOR.

A Tale of James E. Kelly's Powers, as Related by a Friend.

Although he is not large physically, several good stories are told about the prowess of James E. Kelly, the sculptor whose bronze statues of Molly Pitcher, General Buford at Gettysburg, "The Battle of Harlem Heights" and "Sheridan's Ride" have brought him fame.

A friend of his said of him: "He has more courage to the square inch than any man of his size I know, and on several occasions he has been called upon to show it unexpectedly."

"One day an expressman, six feet high and strong in proportion, invaded his studio. The expressman had overcharged the sculptor, and the latter desired to refer the matter to the main office. When the late expressman entered, it happened that a tall friend of the artist was visiting the studio. With an oath the expressman said that he had come for satisfaction.

"I intend to smash you to smithereens, he ejaculated, shaking his fist and advancing toward the sculptor. 'Do not wait a moment,' answered Kelly.

"The big man sprang at the artist, and at this critical moment the tall form of the latter's friend vanished through the back door. Quick as a flash the sculptor jumped behind the enraged expressman, seized him by the back of the neck, and with all the strength he could summon pushed the burly fellow to the front door and kicked him into the street. It was all done so quickly that the bellicose intruder hardly knew how it happened. He fell on the sidewalk, and his face was bruised. He got up and ran away. The sculptor returned to his work, and after a few minutes his vanishing friend entered timidly from the rear."

"What have you done with that Goliath?" he asked. "You know I have heart trouble and cannot stand scenes, and so I went out to keep calm."

"Oh, there was no scene," replied the sculptor. "It was an act in three kicks and a push." His heart trouble friend to this day thinks the sculptor is a piece of surcharged dynamite."—New York Commercial.

Stalking Human Frogs.

The Gorkhas, with his catlike facility for taking cover, aided by his small size and his slenderness persistence in following an evasive foe, has always been an annoyance to the stalwart Pathan.

On one occasion two Gorkha scouts were told off to drive away two Afghans who, from a neighboring summit, were "sniping" at a passing column. The column reached its camp after midnight, and when roll was called the two Gorkhas were missing.

Their comrades mourned them for a few hours, but at daybreak the two turned up, very tired, very hungry and very thirsty, but rather "sniping" they said.

"We got them both," they said. "Few men but Gorkhas would have enjoyed the sport of stalking enemies in their own country until they 'got them both.'"—Pearson's Weekly.

He Could Read Hands.

Colonel Paker—I decline to play with you in the game, Mr. Major Moberly—Why, colonel, do you mean to insult me?

Colonel Paker—No, no, no. I mean that you are too well posted in the science of palmistry. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sweet Sympathy.

Mrs. Dasher—There's a terrible scandal about me in the papers.

Mrs. Flasher—I wonder how they got hold of it?—Brooklyn Life.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

J. B. Munson, of Raleigh, was in the city today.

D. H. King, of Winston, was in the city this morning.

Geo. W. Hinshaw, of Winston, was in the city this morning.

O. O. Eldson, of Elkin, was registered at the McAdoo last night.

C. H. Gwyn, of Elkin, spent last night in the city at the McAdoo.

W. T. Parker, of Archdale, was registered at the McAdoo this morning.

Victor S. Bryant, of Durham, was registered at the Benbow this morning.

Dr. W. H. Lippert, of Pittsboro, was registered at the McAdoo this morning.

J. S. Cobb and T. B. Yuille went down to McLeansville this afternoon to shoot birds.

S. H. Smith, of Oxford, representing the Overman Wheel Company, spent last night in the city.

W. B. Farrar, who has been ill for some weeks with neuralgia and rheumatism, is still unable to be out.

J. J. Crowell, route agent of the C. F. & Y. V. spent last night in the city and returned to Fayetteville today.

Mrs. W. C. Donnell, two children and Miss Lily Muse returned to Fayetteville today, after a visit to relatives in this city.

Mrs. S. J. Kaufman and Miss Minny A. Bendheim, of Alexandria, Va., are in the city visiting Mrs. Pretzfelder.

Dora Clay at Whitehall.

Valley View, Ky., Jan. 4.—Gen. C. M. Clay's child wife went to Whitehall today to visit her venerable husband. He was glad to see her and saluted her with as much fervor as if he had been twenty instead of over fourscore. She seemed glad to see him. They took dinner together, and she did not leave until nearly night.

When she was ready to go the General gave her \$25. Her sister-in-law accompanied her. It was quite dark when they returned to Valley View. It is believed that Dora will never go back to Whitehall to remain permanently.

Washington Star's Contribution.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The fund which is being collected at the Department of State for the relief of the suffering Cubans was increased today by the receipt of \$691, the sum of collections so far made by the Washington Star. The money will be remitted at once to Consul General Lee.

Big Lumber Plant on Fire.

Saginaw, Mich., Jan. 5.—The lumber yard of the Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, at Crow Island, three miles below the city, is on fire. The yard contains 16,000,000 feet of lumber and the mill plant is valued at \$250,000.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for consumption, coughs and colds. I cannot say enough for its merits."

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and today stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at C. E. Holton's drug store.

Eczema

See what Capt. Whiting says:

OFFICE OF B. WHITING, Agent.

HAMLET, N. C., Nov. 7, 1896.

MRS. JOE PERSON:

Dear Madam—I have used your Remedy in my family with success and cheerfully recommend it for all skin diseases.

A SUCCESSFUL HUNT.

A Party of Hunters Return from Onslow with Game.

Messrs. C. H. Gwyn and O. O. Eldson, of Elkin, and L. E. Steere, of Salisbury, came in last night from a hunting trip down in Onslow county. They had been gone a week and brought along with them on the return trip eighteen or twenty ducks and two deer.

The latter were killed by Mr. Gwyn. One of them, a buck, was quite a large one, weighing 184 pounds, gross. The other, a doe, weighed sixty pounds. Mr. Gwyn is proud of his game which attracted a good deal of attention at the depot this morning.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

NICE country hams, 12¢ cents a pound. Country bacon 5¢ cents a pound. S. S. Halthcock, corner Davis and Sycamore streets. j-6-2t

"MANY THANKS," "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," and "Your Patronage for '98" are all very nice, but I want somebody to buy something of me in January. Call at 606 South Elm street. W. H. Dalley.

AMERICAN STAPLES: Shaw knit socks, cotton, 25c. Shaw knit socks, Australian wool, 50c. Druid Hill Shirts, 65c. Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud.

Accept Many Sincere Thanks

for the large and liberal Christmas trade you have given me. I have emiseraries with search warrants scouring the country and you give me the order and I will do the rest.

S. E. HUDSON,
No. 513 South Elm Street.
Phone 40.

Turkeys,
Geese,
Quail,
Ducks,
Eggs,

Baked Beans with Tomato sauce
Tomatoes,
Corn,
Peaches,

Pickled Beef. Nothing nicer.

Price Right. Quality Right.

See My
Fruit Cake

Before you buy your Christmas cakes. Best quality of all kinds of Cakes, Pies, Bread and Rolls fresh every day. Hot Peanuts and Pop Corn, 5 cts. quart.

H L Stribling

217 S. Elm Street.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

We are glad to see Supt. Brown at his post again after a few days indisposition.

The macadam that has been worn by traffic is being repaired on East Market street.

The Cox-Ferree Dry Goods company advertise embroidery remnants in The Telegram today.

E. W. Rayle, of The Telegram force, is confined to his home on Cedar street by sickness.

The new advertisement presented by the Guilford Department Store today is worth careful consideration.

John Weatherly is having shade trees set out in front of his residence corner East Gaston and North Davis streets.

Mrs. A. G. Alexander and two children, of Charlotte, are in the city visiting Mrs. Alexander's mother, Mrs. Susan Donnell.

The new bridge across Reedy Fork at Fulk's mill will be completed, it is thought, by Saturday of this week. It is said to be a splendid structure.

D. Corl is changing the location of his fence on N. Davis street and making arrangements to build on the lot next to his residence at an early date.

Did you know that it costs more to keep a prisoner in jail than it does to work him on the roads in this county? This information was furnished yesterday in The Telegram.

The matter of road improvement is getting hold of our people. Register of Deeds Kirkman has engaged Prof. Bandy to survey a short piece of road near his place in the country.

Some big bargains in overcoats, heavy suits, wool and silk underwear, is what C. M. Vanstory & Co. say today in their new ad. Read it and go to see their big stock. The goods will be sold at low prices.

We are glad to see that work is being resumed out at North Buffalo, near the water works. We hope that the right of way necessary for straightening the road will be obtained and the road completed at an early date. It will be a great improvement over the present road.

The road from Whitsett Institute to Gibsonville is to be surveyed by Prof. Bandy. He went down today to perform that work. Prof. Whitsett realizes the importance and advantage of smooth roads and proposes to put his school in easier access to the railroad by a good thoroughfare.

J. M. Hendrix & Co., no doubt hit the nail square on the head when they said in their puzzle ad. a few days ago that they would speak of something today which no lady ever got enough of. If pretty embroideries don't attract the ladies what will? This is a rare opportunity to buy embroideries cheap. See ad. at top of first column on first page.

We hear the prediction made that there will be a large amount of building done in Greensboro at the opening of spring. We certainly hope there is good reason for this prophecy and that it will materialize to the welfare of our growing city. Greensboro has been steadily growing through the recent hard times and is now stronger in wealth and population than ever before.

Southside Notice.

Every member of Southside Hose No. 4 are requested to be present tonight at their regular monthly meeting as business of importance will be transacted that interests every member. All members not in good standing will be dealt with according to By Laws. Meeting called promptly at 7 p. m., by order President. J. H. PHIPPS, President.

Thrown By a Cob.

Yesterday afternoon as Claude Elam was scorching along West Market street when about opposite the Steam Laundry his wheel struck a corn cobb.

Now a corn cob is a treacherous thing. Even the corn itself is sometimes treacherous, but there was no corn about this; it was simply a plain old innocent looking cob. The wheel struck it and quick as lightning it jumped up, got tangled in the spokes of the front wheel, the rear wheel flew up and turned a complete summersault notwithstanding it is winter time, and Claude says he got the hardest fall he has ever had. No damage to the wheel and but for a few bruises the rider was unhurt.

Struck by Shifting Engine.

Last night, just after midnight, as John Ingram, who drives a street car for Henry Rankin, was going home to put away his team he started to cross the South Elm street crossing of the Southern, just as the shifting engine came along.

The horse and front wheels of the carriage were struck by the engine and the whole outfit was turned over. The driver and horse received a considerable shaking up. However, beyond a few bruises they are not hurt.

The damage to the vehicle is not yet named. Henry Rankin, the owner says he is having Mr. Huff to make an "atomized examination to form some estimations of the damages."

At Home.

The following card has been given for publication:

The Emma Gray Missionary Society
At Home
From 3 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.
Tuesday, January 11, 1898.
First Presbyterian Church Parlor.

There will be no charge for admission, but baskets will be provided at the doors for free contributions. There will be music and refreshments. The young ladies will serve in evening dress. A pleasant evening is promised. Further announcements will be made.

Home Wedding.

Married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Teague on East Washington St. Wednesday at six o'clock p. m., Miss Daisy Irene Teague to Mr. Charlie Maxwell, of Knoxville, Tenn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. McCulloch, assisted by Rev. T. M. Johnson. Quite a number of relatives and a few friends witnessed the marriage which, though quiet, was beautiful in its simplicity. Many handsome presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell left immediately for their home in Knoxville.

Meeting of the Ladies Book Club.

The ladies book club was entertained on yesterday afternoon by Mrs. W. E. Allen at her residence on West Market street. Essays on the life and writings of Washington Irving were read by Mrs. Judge Bynum, Mrs. J. S. Jones and Miss Rebecca Schenck, after which delicious refreshments were served by the charming hostess.

The club will next be entertained by Miss Rebecca Schenck on Wednesday January 19th.

"A Scrap of Paper."

At the Academy of Music on next Thursday night the Greensboro Dramatic Club will present "A Scrap of Paper." The play is one of great merit and of high tone. The club has met with great success heretofore both financially and from an artistic standpoint and we trust there will be a large crowd to witness the performance.

The prices of admission will be 50, 35 and 25 cents. Reserved seats will be on sale at Gardners' drug store.

New Groceryman.

Mr. S. S. Halthcock, a well known citizen, has purchased the grocery business of D. E. Thomas, corner of Davis and Sycamore streets. He has already taken charge and proposes to keep a line of fresh groceries and country produce at prices as low as that class of goods can possibly be sold. He advertises country hams and country bacon in The Telegram today. Give him a call.

Remodeling Above Stairs.

The rooms above Ward's drug store are being remodeled and refitted. Photographer White will use two of the rooms and another will be occupied as an office by Dr. Ledbetter. A grill to go on the partition between the hall and Dr. Whitsett's office was received this morning from Dalton of High Point and placed in position. The rooms will present a neat and attractive appearance when finished.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. E. Holton.



We're The

Merry Monarch

of wintry weather. Let us put a ton or two of good coal into your cellar and see how much more comfortable it will make the home. Right price—right weight. Order early in the morning, before you forget it.

Cunningham Brothers.

Phone 8. 345 So. Davis Street.

Deposit Your Money in the People's Five Cents Savings Bank.

Net Deposits January 3, 1898. - - - - - \$76,324.71

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J. W. SCOTT, President.

J. AD. HODGIN, Treasurer.



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Or On the Level,

or on anything in the line of carpenters and cabinet makers that we carry you will always find the best tempered steel, and the hardest and most durable wood. Our stock of tools are the finest and highest grade made, while our line of builder's hardware includes the latest designs and superior makes.

We have Fenders and Spark Guards, Coal Vases, Andirons, etc., on hand.

Odell Hardware Company.

G. W. St. Sing

has moved into his new shop, two doors north of his old stand, and is prepared to do all kinds of

Buggy, Carriage and

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Fine Horse-shoeing

a specialty. Give him a trial and be your own judge. All work guaranteed.

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New Year Greeting

To My Many Friends and Customers.

I desire to thank you for valued patronage and by fair dealing I confidently expect to merit a continuance of the same.

Respectfully,

R. L. Woodard.

530 South Elm Street, Next Door to Vuncannon & Co.

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These Cold Nights

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And save money by buying them from us.

We have also full line cheaper grade Comforts.

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A Great many shoe dealers don't know just what class of shoes to keep; they don't know their public; they are "on the fence."

We Solve the Problem

by keeping Shoes to suit all. You are included. Take a look at our Bull Dog Toe Enamel Leather Shoes; heavy double soles.

Shrier's Exclusive Shoe Store,

216 South Elm Street.

MAIL ORDERS WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

Guilford Department Store

calls your attention to a handsome line of dress skirts which they have reduced from \$5 and \$6 to \$3.50, made of all wool storm serge and full rustle lining. Also handsome novelty goods.

Our line of coats is somewhat broken in sizes and all we have on hand we propose to close out regardless of cost. As coats change so much in style, if we wait to see what next season brings forth we may get left, so have decided to make great sacrifices.

Come and take a good look at our Underwear. Have a nice line of Corset Covers from 12 1-2c for a good cambric waist, and a nice Hamburg trimmed front and back for 25c. Our gowns that were \$1 we have marked 75c; good cambric with Hamburg trimming in Hubbard and Empire style. The skirts are in plain and umbrella ruffles, handsomely trimmed and ranging in price from 75c to \$1. A nice line of Drawers from 25c to \$1.25.

Kindly give us a call.

Guilford Department Store,

230 South Elm Street.

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A Promise of Breeches

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